CLASSIFIED ADS

CARD OF THANKS

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We wish to express our deep appreciation to all relatives and friends, for the many acts of kindness, and sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement.

—Family of D. E. Coleman.
(1tc)

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to everyone who was so kind to me during my recent stay in the hospital and since my return home. Also for the flowers, cards, and gifts.

W. D. Patterson, Sr.
(1tp)

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many expressions of sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement. Also for flowers, food and cards.

—The Family of L. E. Reynolds.
(1tc)

IN MEMORIAM

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GOWIN: In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Ellen O. Gowin, who passed away seventeen years ago, Oct. 1st, 1941.

While you, dear mother, rest and sleep,
Your sacred memory I'll always keep,
Loving and kind in all her ways,
Upright and just to the end of her days.
Sincere and good in heart and mind,
Beautiful memories she left behind.
In our home she is fondly remembered.
Sweet memories cling to her name.
Those who loved her in life
Sincerely love her in death just the same.

—Sadly missed by
Her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Stanley, and Children.
(1tp)

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear Father, A. B. Ferguson, who departed this life six years ago today, Sept. 29, 1952.

Six years ago today you left us,
So sad was that day.
God took you in His loving arms,
And then turned out the light.
How we miss your kind and smiling face,
None on earth can take your place.
It seems but yesterday when we heard you call.
Help us to wait, dear Jesus,
Till we meet our dear Father,
On that happy golden shore.

—Sadly missed by
(1tp) Children.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Richard Wayne Moore, who died one year ago today, October 5, 1957.

God gave us a wonderful son and brother,
One of the world's very best;
And when on earth his work was done,
He called him home to rest.

Lonely are our hearts without you,
Sad for us it seems today;
For the one we love so dearly,
Forever from us has passed away.

He had a smile for everyone,
A heart as pure as gold;
To those who knew and loved him,
His memory will never grow old.

Often we sit and wonder,
When lights are burning low;
Was it because we loved you too much,
God's call was you must go.

Broken is the family circle,
Our dear one has passed away;
Passed from earth and earthly darkness
Into a bright and perfect day.

May we live and serve our Master,
Walk the straight and narrow way;
So when life on earth is ended,
We will meet in heaven some sweet day.

—Sadly missed by Mother, Father and Brother.
(1tp)

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our husband and father, Raymond E. Mann, who passed away two years ago, September 17, 1956.

A loving one from us is gone,
How sweet the memory lies;
But death has left a sadness,
The world can never forget.

—Wife and Daughter.
(1tp)

LOST

LOST: Have lost my dog, brown hound. Named: Brownie. No collar on, but I have tag. Please notify:

Reva Whitehead.
(1tp)

WANT TO RENT

Wanted to rent: Four or five room house or apartment with bath. In or around Appomattox. Contact: H. A. White, Jr., Gladstone, Va., or call WE 1lington 6-6344. Rerefences furnished if necessary.
9-18.3tp

FOR SALE

For Sale: Six room house with bath, lights and water. Located 1½ miles from Appomattox on Route 26. See:

Jack Smith,
Appomattox, Va.
(9-26-4tp)

JUST ARRIVED: Speidel's complete new fall selection of watch bands for men and ladies. Priced from $5.95 up.
Beginning October 1st, we will remain open on Wednesday afternoons to 5:30.

A. G. GAINES
(9-25-2tc)

House For Sale: Known as the Miss Lelia Ingo Home, opposite the Dr. Christian home place. Church St. Appomattox. Buyer must move in reasonable time. Make an offer.

W. E. Hancock (Ned)
Appomattox, Va.
(9-25-2tp)

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(9-25-tfc)

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Pamplin, Va.
(9-25-2tp)

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(9-25-4tc)

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(9-25-2tc)

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(9-11-4tfc)

For Sale: One International Truck 1½ Ton, 1948 Model, Long Wheel Base.

W. V. Jones,
Appomattox, Va., R. F. D. 1.

Grand Bargains For October:
Good Housekeeping, 2 years, $3.98, (regular $3.50 per year); Saturday Evening Post, 60 weeks $4.75; Ladies Home Journal, 22 months for $3.85; American Home, 24 months, $3.00 (regular $3.00 per year);

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(1tc) Appomattox, Va.

For Sale: Registered Boxer Puppies. Six weeks old. Have been wormed. Contact:

R. W. (Bobby) Mitchell,
Appomattox, Va. Phone 4351.

For Sale: Have home-made quilts for sale. Come to my home, or Phone 3026.

Mrs. R. A. Gowin
R. F. D. 2, Appomattox, Va.
(10-2-2tp)

For Sale: 3 complete beds, 1 living room sofa and 2 chairs, 1 superflame oil heater, 1 oak desk, 1 oak wardrobe, 2 wood heaters. Can be seen at my home.

Mrs. W. T. Childers,
Appomattox, Va., Route 3:
(10-2-tfc)

NOTICE: I've got plenty of Chicken House Litter for sale. For lawns or gardens.

E. O. Johnson,
(1tp) Appomattox, Va.

For Sale: Bath tub, lavatory, sink, wheel chair.

G. I. Watt,
Appomattox, Rt. 1, Box 196.
(10-2-2tp)

For Sale: Yellow Corn.

J. B. Goad,
Rt. 3, Appomattox, Va.,
(1tc) Phone 4504.

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(10-2-4tc)

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(3-15-tf)

FOR RENT

For Rent: 7 room house with bath, hot and cold water.
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Appomattox, Va., Route 3.
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NOTICE

PAINTING: Interior and Exterior —also Roof Work.

W. R. Tyree,
Spout Spring, Va.
Telephone: Appomattox 3073.
(9-25-2tp)

Special Notice
I have qualified as Administrator of the estate of the late John Wilson Durrum of Appomattox, Virginia. All persons having claims against said estate and all those indebted to the estate kindly make settlement with me at my office on Court Street, Appomatox, Virginia.

Frank M. McCann,
Administrator.
(9-111-4tc)

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(1tp)

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NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The regular meeting of this Board set for Oct. 8, 1958, will convene at 9:30 instead of 9:00 a. m., on that day, on account of Circuit Court convening at 10:00 a. m. on that date.

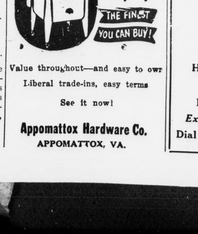
By Order Board of Supervisors

C. W. Smith,
Clerk.
(1tc)

STREET DANCE

The Pamplin Ruritan Club will hold a street dance on the main street in Pamplin on October 9, 1958. A Grand Prize of twenty-five dollars will be given besides a number of smaller prizes. This has been held in past years and has been enjoyed by all members of the community and surrounding areas. The admission to the dance will be fifty cents per person, and this will include prize ticket. It is hoped that a large number will attend the one this year. It is not necessary to be present in order to win the prize.
(9-18-3tc)

NOTICE: I am now acting as Agent for Dooley's Florist in Lynchburg and can take care of your orders locally and out of town. Arrangements — Funeral designs — potted plants — corsages — weddings, etc. Will thank you to call 2471. —Mrs. Larry Young.
(4-10-tfc)



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(9-11-4tp)

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NOTICE: Will pay $3.00 a piece for tires suitable for recapping.

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FOR SALE

PUBLIC SALE

I will offer for sale at public auction at my home, on Route 648, about 11 miles south of Appomattox, about one mile from the new dam built on Sam Conner's farm, the following articles:

Saturday, October 4, 1958
At 10:00 A. M.

1 Home Comfort Stove (new)
1 Refrigerator
1 Washing Machine
1 Kitchen Cabinet
2 Dressers (Antique)
1 Bed (Antique)
1 Lot of Tools, Pots and Pans
2 Dining Room Tables and 4 Chairs
1 Kitchen Cabinet
1 Set of Guardian Service Cooking Utensils
1 Lot of Dishes
1 Sofa
1 Living Room Chair
4 End Tables
1 Hall Rack (Antique)
2 Bowl and Pitcher Sets
1 Chest of Drawers
2 Old Trunks (Antique)
1 Wash Stand (Antique)
1 Lot of Stone Jars
2 Several Wood Heaters
1 Dinner Bell
1 Lot of Horse Drawn Farming Tools
1 Saddle
Other articles too numerous to mention.

Time: October 4, 1958, at 10:00 A. M.
Place: At My Home.
Terms: Cash
Auctioneer: J. H. O'Brien.
Mrs. A. D. MARSHALL (Buz)
(9-25-2tc)

NOTICE

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, on the 25th day of Sept., 1958.

Willie Edward Smith Plaintiff
Against
Mattie C. Smith, 237 W. 127th St., Apt. 13G, New York, N. Y. Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the defendant on the ground of desertion.

And it appearing by affidavit filed that Mattie C. Smith is not a resident of the State of Virginia, she is hereby required to appear within ten days after the due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interests.

Teste:

C. W. Smith, Clerk
George Abbitt Jr., p. q.
Appomattox, Va.
(10-2-4tc)

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FOR SALE

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to authority vested in the undersigned Trustee by virtue of that certain deed of trust, dated October 25th, 1957, executed by Hernhall G. Budiong and Hrs. Theima D. Budiong, of record on November 7, 1957, in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, Virginia, in D. B. 67, at page 126, thereof, that whereas, default having been made in the payment of the obligation therein secured, and upon the request by the holder of said obligation that said trust be executed, and in conformity therewith, the following real estate will be offered for sale in compliance with the terms and conditions of the aforesaid instrument. Description:

All of that certain tract and parcel of land lying and being in Clover Hill Magisterial District of Appomattox County, Virginia, containing by estimation one hundred seventy-five (175) acres, be the same ever so much more or less, as it is being sold by the boundary and not by the acre, according to that certain deed, dated June 24, 1942, from W. M. Abbitt, Special Commissioner, (Hix v. Hix), to Enoch Roberts, of record in our local Clerk's Office on June 30, 1942, in D. B. 41, at Page 124, and plat thereof on Page 176 which shows the acreage as being 205 acres, be the same ever so much more or less.

It being North of the middle of the bed of Appomattox River, and that same real estate that was devised unto W. Boyd Ford under the Will of his father Wm. L. Ford, of record in W. B. No. 1, at Page 278, adjoining the lands now or formerly owned by J. Dan Ford, Clara Crawford estate, Maxwell, Coleman and others, and that identical real estate that was acquired by the said Budiongs by that certain deed, dated October 28, 1955, from Dean L. Roberts and others, of record on November 10, 1955, in D. B. 63, at Page 288.

Place of Sale: On The Premises;
Time of Sale: 11:00 O'Clock A. M.
On Saturday, November 8, 1958;
Terms Of Sale: Cash;
Auctioneer: James H. O'Brien;
Trustee: Wm. W. Burke.
(10-2-6tc)

Vera

Vera, Sept. 30.- Mrs. Lawrence Hatcher is spending this week in Roanoke with her son, Harold, and her husband, Mr. Lawrence Hatcher. Glad to report that he is improving.

Mission Study Book, "Unto a New World," will be taught by Mrs. Martin Coleman on Saturday night at the Liberty Chapel Baptist Church, beginning at 7:00 o'clock. All members of the W. M. S. are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. David Garrette, of Alexandria visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garrette Monday and Tuesday.

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George Montgomery ...
Miss Peters ...
● Sun., Mon., Oct. 5, 6
John Wayne in "Legend of ...
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Davidson Lauded For 50 Years of Service

Win Streak Now At Four

The Appomattox High School football team will play Brookville H. S. here Friday night, at 8:00 o'clock, in a District 4, Group 2 league game. This year's Brookville team is a better team than in past years and the tilt with A. H. S. should present an interesting game.

A. H. S. defeated the Nelson County H. S., at Lovingston last Friday night, 46 to 0. The locals had a fine brand of football going, with the best blocking of the season. They now have a record of 4 wins and no losses.

Last Friday's touchdowns were made by Dan Coleman with 3, on runs of 73, 5 and 96 yards; Freddie Mitchell, 2, on runs of 2 and 99 yards; Leon Edmunds, 2, on runs of 9 and 7 yards. Edmunds had 2 extra points, Mitchell 1, and Raymond Ferguson 1. The A. H. S. line put on a show display. The second and third teams played about half of the game, showing well.

NOVEL DE & DO FEATURE AT FRIDAY NIGHT'S GAME

As an added attraction during the halftime of the Appomattox—Brookville football game on Friday night, the D. E. Corps of A. H. S. will present The Dancing Gladiators and The Darkleaf Deniros in their appearance on any football field.

While the names of the teams spell fun, hilarity and wild antics we have been assured by Coach Wilson that the two teams will be kept under control during their appearance on the playing field! To prove that you will see a good "game" at halftime, the boys have assured us that the two teams are nearly to the peak of perfection. For example, the great deal of training will prove this: Brookville has been practicing 13 times and began to learn who their teammates were! They have learned to respect rules and only 4 members were chained to the bench during the last practice.

Special cheerleaders will be on hand for this novel fun feature. All is calm now, but look out for hilarity at halftime Friday night!

Demonstration Club Schedule

Home Demonstration schedule for next week:

Oct. 13, Bethany Club meets at 1:30 P. M., with Mrs. James Paulette.

Oct. 13, Richwood Club will meet at 7:30 P. M., with Mrs. J. E. Greene.

Oct. 14,- Clover Hill Club will meet at 7:30 P. M., with Mrs. Rebecca Shanks.

Oct. 15,- Wreck Island Club will meet at 2 P. M. with Mrs. E. W. Carson.

Oct. 16,- Pamplin Club will meet at 2 P. M. with Mrs. Jim Carson.

U. D. C. PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED

Appomattox Chapter, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet on Thursday, October 16, at 8:00 P. M., with the home of Mrs. W. B. Caldwell, Mrs. C. S. Jenkins and Miss Florence Caldwell will be hostesses with Mrs. Caldwell.

The historical subject for eth evening will be The Confederate Navy.

Child Development Series At Elementary P.-T. A.

Mrs. Thelbert Trent, president of the Appomattox Elementary School Parent - Teachers Association, announces that the next monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, Oct. 16 at 8:00 P. M. in the Elementary School auditorium.

The program committee, which is composed of the following: Mrs. Marvin Harncall, Mrs. Sally Martin, Mrs. Marshall Cunningham, Mrs. Trent, Miss Flora B. Williams, and Mrs. A. R. Harwood, Jr., chairman, has planned a series of movies on the topic of "Child Development and Guidance." The first of this series will be shown on Thursday night. They are entitled, "From Sociable Sixes to Noisy Nines" - illustrating the behavior that may be normally expected in children from six years through nine years, and "From Tens to Twelves," which shows the preadolescent behavior patterns of attitudes toward parents and teachers. Following each of these, there will be a discussion period for all to participate in.

National Education Week will be observed in November with a program followed by a reception for all the teachers and for parents. Room visitation will be observed.

Mrs. Trent, president, announces that there will be an executive board meeting prior to the meeting, at 7:30 P. M. in the Elementary School library. All officers and chairmen of committees are urged to attend.

Abbitt Blisters Federal Court

Rep. Watkins M. Abbitt, Fourth District Representative, in Congress, on Tuesday addressed the Dinwiddie Chapter of the Defenders of State Sovereignty and Individual Liberties, and used the occasion to blister the U. S. Supreme Court for its recent decisions.

The Appomattox Congressman, in part said:

"The recent pronouncement by the Supreme Court is the worst demonstration of lack of restraint and utter disregard on the part of the Federal Court that our country has witnessed in its entire existence.

"The decision utterly ignores all legal precedent, the privileges, rights and authority of the states and the people thereof, as well as the Constitution itself. It not only failed to confine its decision to the case before it, but it attempted to pre-judge cases now pending in the inferior Federal Courts as to bring into question upon the district courts so that the decisions of the lower courts would be in keeping with the Supreme Court's philosophy of the power crazed members of the Supreme Court. It was an attempt on the part of the court to subdue, browbeat, cower and intimidate the people of the South, who are so valiantly attempting to preserve constitutional government in America.

The proclamation hurls a challenge at the people of America! It is a warning that the court, if not curbed and restrained immediately, will take over this country, ignore the laws and the Constitution, and set up a judicial dictatorship as horrible as any in the totalitarian countries across the waters.

It means that Virginia as a State must resist this usurpation of authority and arrogation of power. In our resistance, it is necessary that all sections of Virginia be together. We cannot afford to weaken in our fight to preserve the sovereignty of our State and the rights of our people. The people in all sections of the county must now know that Virginia is fighting to preserve the constitution an dgovernment by law and not of men.

There may be those in Virginia who are weakening and will be willing to accept some compliance because of the great pressure exerted upon the Commonwealth by the Federal judicial oligarchy which is pounced upon us. If there are such, they should remind themselves of how Benedict Arnold felt at Valley Forge and what he later did to his country. If there are any Benedict Arnolds in our group, they must be ferreted out or the people will know whom to follow and whom not to follow. Regardless of the dictatorial assumption of power by the Federal judiciary, they will be unable to sub-

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District Gov. Visits Lions

Charles G. Motley, Lions Club District Governor, will make an official visit to the Appomattox Club at its meeting tonight at 6:45, to be held at Parkway Restaurant.

District Governor Motley has been a member of Northside Lions Club, Richmond, for 12 years, with perfect attendance. He has many offices in his own club, and attended the past nine state Lions conventions, and was at the International Lions Convention in Chicago in July of this year. He attended the University of Richmond and is active in the Alumni Chapter of that school. He has also served as Commander of Lee-Jackson and Virginia Division of Sons of Confederate Veterans. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Following his address tonight at the local club meeting, Mr. Motley will have a short meeting with the club's board of directors.

JAYCEES TO HAVE MUSIC CONTEST

The second annual Country Music Contest, sponsored by the Appomattox County Junior Chamber of Commerce, will be held at the Appomattox High School auditorium at 8:00 P. M., Friday, Nov. 14.

As they did last year, the Jaycees will sponsor the Christmas Shopping Tour for underprivileged children, using the proceeds from this contest to finance it.

Those desiring to enter the contest should contact Lloyd Bryant, chairman, or any member of the Jaycees. The prizes for contestants will be $25 for first place, $15 for second and $10 for third. Numerous other prizes will also be given.

Rev. Cravens Speaker For Woman's Club

The Appomattox Woman's Club held its regular monthly meeting Monday, Oct. 6, with the Rev. James T. Cravens, pastor of the Liberty Baptist Church as guest speaker. Rev. Cravens was introduced by Mrs. Harry P. Davis. He spoke on Religion in the home. Mrs. Milfred Alvis presided, in the absence of Mrs. Martin L. Webb, who is recuperating at her home from a recent operation.

One new member, Mrs. Madeline Thomas, was received into the club. Delightful refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Stuart Farrar, Mrs. Howlette Martin, Mrs. George Collins and Mrs. Harry P. Davis.

Mrs. L. L. Stanley was elected as delegate to the Alice Kyle District meeting at Altavista October 16.

Hazel Moon Home Service

Dr. Cornell Goerner, Secretary of Africa, Europe and the Near East, of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, will be the speaker for the dedicationser vices of the Hazel Moon House near here on Sunday, October 12, at 3:30 P. M.

Dr. Goerner, at the time of his election to Foreign Mission Board staff in April, 1957, was professor of comparative religion and missions at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky. A native of Texas, Dr. Goerner, received the bachelor of arts degree from Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, and the master of theology and the doctor of philosophy degrees from Southern Seminary. He studied for one year at Yale Divinity School. Among his honors is that of membership in Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic fraternity. He has had pastoral experience, serving Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky., and Crescent Hill and Parkland Baptist Churches, Louisville.

Following the dedication services in the afternoon, Dr. Goerner will be the guest speaker at the evening services at Liberty Baptist Church, at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to hear him speak.

The House, which has just been completed as a project of the Appomattox Baptist Association, is now

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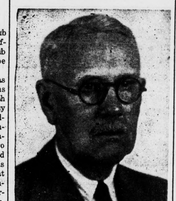
W. S. TAYLOR DIED WEDNESDAY



William Stratton Taylor, a prominent local churchman and businessman, died Wednesday afternoon at a Lynchburg nursing home, after an extended illness.

Mr. Taylor was born Jan. 3, 1873, the son of Edward Matthew and Mary J. Stratton Taylor. His wife, Mrs. Fanny Sears Taylor, died in December, 1943.

For 31 years Mr. Taylor was a rural mail carrier out of the Stapleton Post Office. For 21 years he represented a leading insurance company and maintained an insurance office here. For 20 years he was a reporter for the Weather Bureau.

He was for some years the senior deacon at Liberty Baptist Church, and was an honorary deacon at the time of his passing.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Coach Bas Cole, of Richmond; two sons, John P. Taylor, of Appomattox and R. Sears Taylor, of West Point, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 2 P. M. from Liberty Baptist Church, with burial in Liberty Cemetery.

YOUNG FARMERS TO PRESENT MINSTREL

The Appomattox Young Farmers Club is sponsoring a minstrel show to be given in the high school auditorium on Thursday, October 16. The minstrel will be put on by members of the Fairview Christian Church, Lynchburg. The show will begin at 8:00 P. M., with the price of admission being 75c for adults, and 35c for children under 12.

Tickets for the minstrel may be bought in advance from several members of the club. Members selling tickets are: Bill Williamson, Elantha Drinkard, Richard Krantz, Gerald Blanks, Herbert Handy, Fred Jones, Ray Page, Paul Wilburn, and Grover Beasley and advisor Lewis Motley.

HALLOWE'EN FESTIVAL AT OAKVILLE

Plans are being made for a Hallowe'en Festival at the Oakville school on October 31st. It will be sponsored by the Oakville P. -T. A.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS MONDAY

The American Legion Auxiliary Unit 104 will meet Monday night, October 13, at 8:00 o'clock at the American Legion Home. Mrs. Ivey Holland, Girls State Chairman, will present the program.

SET PROGRAMS DO & DE CLUBS

On Tuesday, Sept. 30, the Distributive Education and Diversified Education Clubs of Appomattox High School held the first meeting of the school year and elected officers. Officers will serve until June of 1959, and will attend the various conferences and conventions that are held as a part of the club work and activities.

The first scheduled meeting of the school year was held on Oct. 6, and plans were made for several events the club will sponsor for the school and community.

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The older one gets the harder it is to make both ends meet — fingers and toes especially. —The Flying "K," Kingville, Tex.

A Virginia gentleman of the finest tradition, and an outstanding citizen of this county, was highly praised here this week for having established one of the top records in Old Dominion history in the field of public education.

Mr. Jessie Osborne Davidson, 76, was acclaimed at public ceremonies at the county court house, for having served for fifty years as a member of the School Board. And to add something material beyond mere words, he was presented a handsome gold watch, fittingly inscribed with testimony from grateful well-wishers.

The story of the half-century of Mr. Davidson's school service began in October, 1908, when he acceded to the suggestion that he be a member of the Stonewall District Board. At that time each magisterial district had a board, of three members, and the district board members were also members of the county board. At that time Mr. Davidson was 26 Each four years since, he has been renamed, by the School Trustee Electoral Board, and is now, in point of service, the senior board member in Virginia. In fact, he achieved that seniority 3 years ago, when he was recognized in state educational circles. It is of interest that one of the closest to Mr. Davidson in point of length of service, was the late Mr. T. J. Ligon, also of Appomattox.

In 1922, the law of Virginia was changed to provide for a choice permitting counties to institute a county school board, instead of district boards. Appomattox was one of the first to avail itself of this unified system, and although one of the youngest members, Mr. Davidson was named one of the three members of the county board.

At the time that he began his service, there were 47 to 50 public schools in Appomattox Co. Virtually all were one-room frame affairs, operating 6 months yearly. There was no transportation of pupils and no school or county libraries and facilities were very inadequate by modern comparison. Yet, remarkable attainments featured the work of these early public schools, as attested by the subsequent success of many who attended them.

It is a matter of record that Mr. Davidson had the "outward and the forward look," and in matters of education was desirous of moving progressively, with sound safeguards. A man of even temperment, calm judgment, he kept his feet on the solid ground and contributed tremendously to the fabulous educational advances of his time.

The consolidation program saw the 47 to 50 one-room schools developed into a modern system with ten schools in the county. The new consolidated became well housed, well equipped and well taught.

In the meeting of the school board on Tuesday, held at 9:00 A. M. in the county court house, the board chairman, Mr. T. DeWitt Evans presided, and prayer was offered by Mr. George Abbitt Jr. Mr. Evans welcomed as a board member, Rev. William H. Chappell, the new Clover Hill District member. Division Superintendent Jerry A. Burke was then presented, and he paid glowing tribute to the honoree of the occasion. He had compiled a synopsis of the school service of Mr. Davidson, and presented it in well-chosen words, appropriate to the occasion. At the conclusion of his remarks, he presented the token of resonbrance, the gold watch.

In characteristic calmness and dignity, Mr. Davidson accepted the tribute with a simple statement of thanks, and declared that others could have "done as well or better."

Chairman Evans invited expressions from other citizens present, and in response, words of commendation for the veteran schoolman were spoken by Judge J. W. Flood, Miss Harriett Holley, representing the county school teachers; George Abbitt Jr., C. W. Smith, Rep. W. M. Abbitt, Wm. W. Burke, Judge C. P. P. Crawley, and A. H. S. Principal Grant Rush.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, there was a general personal congratulation from those present to conclude the testimony to this distinguished man of public service, and to attest that such service has its reward in the acclaim of one fellow citizens.

Venezuelan Reds widen their sway.

Russia is expected to curtail tin exports.

Play safe — drive carefully.